

# Sulfadimethoxine

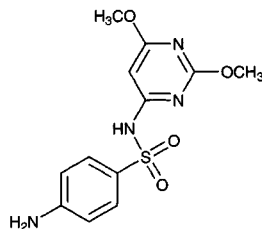
**Molecular formula:** C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>14</sub>N<sub>4</sub>O<sub>4</sub>S

**Molecular weight:** 310.33

**CAS Registry No.:** 122-11-2

**Merck Index:** 9073

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## SAMPLE

**Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** Condition a 3 mL Bond Elut C8 SPE cartridge with 3 mL MeOH and 3 mL 50 mM pH 3.4 oxalate buffer. 1 mL Plasma + 1 mL 50 mM pH 3.4 oxalate buffer + 50 µL MeOH:water 50:50, mix, add to the SPE cartridge. Wash with 3 mL 50 mM pH 3.4 oxalate buffer, 1 mL MeOH:water 20:80, and 2 mL hexane:ether 80:20. Elute with two 1 mL portions of MeOH:25% ammonia solution 99:1. Evaporate the eluate to dryness under a gentle stream of nitrogen at 30°. Dissolve the residue in 250 µL mobile phase, inject a 50 µL aliquot.

## HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** 20 × 3.9 5 µm Symmetry C18 (Waters)

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 5 µm Symmetry C18 (Waters)

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:MeOH:water 25:10:65 containing 1% triethylamine, adjust to p 5.6 with phosphoric acid

**Column temperature:** 30

**Flow rate:** 0.8

**Injection volume:** 50

**Detector:** UV 240

## CHROMATOGRAM

**Internal standard:** sulfadimethoxine

## OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Extracted:** pyrimethamine, sulfadoxine

**Simultaneous:** acetaminophen, 4-chlorophenylbiguanide, cycloguanil, proguanil, quinine, sulfadiazine

## KEY WORDS

plasma; SPE; sulfadimethoxine is IS

## REFERENCE

Astier,H.; Renard,C.; Cheminel,V.; Soares,O.; Mounier,C.; Peyron,F.; Chaulet,J.F. Simultaneous determination of pyrimethamine and sulphadoxine in human plasma by high-performance liquid chromatography after automated liquid-solid extraction, *J.Chromatogr.B*, **1997**, 698, 217–223.

## SAMPLE

**Matrix:** blood, milk

**Sample preparation:** 1 mL Serum or milk + 4 mL MeCN, vortex, centrifuge at 1000 g for 15 min. Remove the supernatant and evaporate it to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 40°, reconstitute the residue in 50 µL water, mix vigorously, add 1 mL MeCN, centrifuge at 1000 g for 10 min. Remove the upper layer and evaporate it to dryness, reconstitute the residue in 1 mL 10 ng/mL p-aminobenzoic acid in 0.01% trichloroacetic acid, centrifuge at 1000 g for 10 min. Remove a 500 µL aliquot of the clear layer and add it to 100 µL 1 mg/mL fluorescamine in acetone (prepared fresh each day), mix for 1 min, inject a 50 µL aliquot.

## HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 300 × 3.9 10 µm Nova-Pak C18

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:10 mM KH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> 30:70

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 50

**Detector:** F ex 390 em 475

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 18.5**Internal standard:** p-aminobenzoic acid (5.5)**Limit of detection:** 0.1 ng/mL

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES****Extracted:** sulfadiazine, sulfamethazine, sulfamethoxazole, sulfamonomethoxine, sulfathiazole

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**KEY WORDS**

cow; serum; derivatization

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**REFERENCE**Tsai, C.-E.; Kondo, F. Liquid chromatographic determination of fluorescent derivatives of six sulfonamides in bovine serum and milk, *JAOAC Int.*, **1995**, 78, 674-678.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** blood, tissue**Sample preparation:** Plasma. 200  $\mu$ L Plasma + 90  $\mu$ L 24% trichloroacetic acid in MeOH + 10  $\mu$ L 10  $\mu$ g/mL sulfamethoxazole in MeOH, vortex for 30 s, centrifuge at 14000 g for 5 min, inject a 50  $\mu$ L aliquot of the supernatant. Muscle. Homogenize 1 g muscle in 1.5 mL MeOH:buffer 20:80, add 50  $\mu$ L 10  $\mu$ g/mL sulfamethoxazole in MeOH, mix thoroughly for 1 min, centrifuge at 14000 g for 5 min, inject a 50  $\mu$ L aliquot of the supernatant. (Buffer was 25 mM  $\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_4$  containing 15 mM sodium 1-heptanesulfonate adjusted to pH 2.8 with 5 M phosphoric acid.)

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Guard column:** 20  $\times$  4.6 40  $\mu$ m ODS-Hypersil**Column:** 150  $\times$  4.6 3  $\mu$ m ODS-Hypersil C18**Mobile phase:** MeCN:buffer:triethylamine 20:80:0.02 (Buffer was 25 mM  $\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_4$  containing 15 mM sodium 1-heptanesulfonate adjusted to pH 2.8 with 5 M phosphoric acid.)**Flow rate:** 1**Injection volume:** 50**Detector:** UV 270

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 14**Internal standard:** sulfamethoxazole (8)**Limit of detection:** 30 ng/g (muscle), 15 ng/mL (plasma)

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES****Extracted:** ormetoprim

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**KEY WORDS**

plasma; muscle; fish; salmon

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**REFERENCE**Samuelsen, O.B. Simultaneous determination of ormetoprim and sulphadimethoxine in plasma and muscle of Atlantic salmon (*Salmo salar*), *J.Chromatogr.B*, **1994**, 660, 412-417.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** blood, tissue**Sample preparation:** 1 mL Serum or homogenized tissue + 4 mL MeCN, vortex, centrifuge at 1000 g for 15 min. Remove the supernatant and evaporate it to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 40°, reconstitute the residue in 50  $\mu$ L water, mix vigorously, add 1 mL MeCN, centrifuge at 1000 g for 15 min. Remove the upper layer and evaporate it to dryness, reconstitute the residue in 1 mL 10 ng/mL sulfadiazine in 0.01% trichloroacetic acid, shake, add 100  $\mu$ L hexane, shake, centrifuge at 1000 g for 15 min. Remove a 500  $\mu$ L aliquot of the clear aqueous layer and add it to 100  $\mu$ L 1 mg/mL fluorescamine in MeCN (freshly prepared), shake by hand for 1 min, inject a 50  $\mu$ L aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 300  $\times$  3.9 10  $\mu$ m Nova-Pack C18

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:10 mM  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$  30:70

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 50

**Detector:** F ex 390 em 475

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 18.2

**Internal standard:** sulfadiazine (7.1)

**Limit of detection:** 0.1 ng/mL

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Extracted:** sulfamethoxazole, sulfamonomethoxine, sulfamethazine

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#### KEY WORDS

serum; pig; derivatization; kidney; muscle; liver

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#### REFERENCE

Tsai, C.-E.; Kondo, F. A sensitive high-performance liquid chromatographic method for detecting sulfonamide residues in swine serum and tissues after fluorescamine derivatization, *J. Liq. Chromatogr.*, **1995**, *18*, 965–976.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** blood, urine

**Sample preparation:** Add 1 mL whole blood or urine to Toxi-Tube A (Toxi-Lab, Irvine CA), add 3 mL water, mix by gentle inversion for 5 min, centrifuge at 1500 g for 5 min. Remove the organic layer and evaporate it to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 40°, reconstitute the residue with 50  $\mu\text{L}$  MeCN:water 50:50, vortex for 10 s, centrifuge at 7500 g for 2 min, inject a 10 (urine) or 30 (blood)  $\mu\text{L}$  aliquot. (The detector wavelength shown is the wavelength of maximum absorbance. This will not necessarily be the optimal wavelength for the separation. Multiple wavelengths from 200–350 nm can be scanned using a diode-array detector. Otherwise, 220 nm may be a reasonable choice for initial work. Matrix may interfere.)

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** 20 mm long Symmetry C18

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 5  $\mu\text{m}$  Symmetry C8 (Waters)

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was 50 mM pH 3.8 sodium phosphate buffer. B was MeCN. A:B 85:15 for 6.5 min, 65:35 for 18.5 min, 20:80 for 3 min (step gradient), re-equilibrate at initial conditions for 7 min.

**Column temperature:** 30

**Flow rate:** 1 for 6.5 min, to 1.5 over 18.5 min, maintain at 1.5 for 3 min (re-equilibrate at 1.5 mL/min)

**Injection volume:** 10–30

**Detector:** UV 200.5

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 14.735

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#### KEY WORDS

whole blood

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#### REFERENCE

Gaillard, Y.; Pépin, G. Use of high-performance liquid chromatography with photodiode-array UV detection for the creation of a 600-compound library. Application to forensic toxicology, *J. Chromatogr. A*, **1997**, *763*, 149–163.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** eggs, milk, tissue

**Sample preparation:** Milk. Centrifuge at 2000 g and freeze at -20° to remove the cream. Mix a 5 mL aliquot with 5 mL saline solution and add 1 mL 1% sodium azide solution (Caution! Sodium azide is highly toxic! Do not discharge to the plumbing system!). Dialyze (24" long cellulose acetate "Type C" membrane, Technicon, New York) an 8 mL aliquot against water

pumped at 0.6 mL/min, pass the dialysate through column A to waste, after 10 min stop the dialysis and elute column A to waste with water, after 24 min backflush the contents of column A onto column B with mobile phase, after 5 min remove column A from the circuit, elute column B with mobile phase, monitor the effluent from column B. Meat. Blend 10 g homogenized meat with 20 mL saline, centrifuge, remove a 10 mL aliquot of the clear upper phase and add it to 1 mL 1% sodium azide (Caution! Sodium azide is highly toxic! Do not discharge to the plumbing system!). Dialyze (24" long cellulose acetate "Type C" membrane, Technicon, New York) an 8 mL aliquot against water pumped at 0.6 mL/min, pass the dialysate through column A to waste, after 10 min stop the dialysis and elute column A to waste with water, after 24 min backflush the contents of column A onto column B with mobile phase, after 5 min remove column A from the circuit, elute column B with mobile phase, monitor the effluent from column B. Eggs. Dilute 10 g homogenized whole egg with 10 mL saline, add 3 mL 10% sodium azide solution (Caution! Sodium azide is highly toxic! Do not discharge to the plumbing system!). Dialyze (24" long cellulose acetate "Type C" membrane, Technicon, New York) an 8 mL aliquot against water pumped at 0.6 mL/min, pass the dialysate through column A to waste, after 10 min stop the dialysis and elute column A to waste with water, after 24 min backflush the contents of column A onto column B with mobile phase, after 5 min remove column A from the circuit, elute column B with mobile phase, monitor the effluent from column B.

#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** A 60 × 4 50-100 μm XAD-4 (Rohm & Haas); B 250 × 4.6 7 μm Cp TM-Spher C18 (Chrompack)

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:50 mM pH 6.85 sodium acetate buffer 12.5:87.5

**Detector:** UV 450 following post-column reaction. The column effluent mixed with 1.5% p-dimethylaminobenzaldehyde in 17% phosphoric acid and the mixture flowed through a 7.5 m × 0.5 mm ID knitted PTFE coil to the detector.

#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** k' 5.0

**Limit of detection:** 5-10 ng/g

#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Extracted:** dapsone, sulfacetamide, sulfachlorpyrazine, sulfadiazine, sulfadoxine, sulfaguandine, sulfamerazine, sulfamethazine, sulfamethoxazole, sulfanilamide, sulfaquinoxaline, sulfathiazole, sulfatroxazole

**Noninterfering:** chloramphenicol, trimethoprim

#### KEY WORDS

post-column reaction; meat; column-switching; dialysis

#### REFERENCE

Aerts, M.M.L.; Beek, W.M.J.; Brinkman, U.A.T. Monitoring of veterinary drug residues by a combination of continuous flow techniques and column-switching high-performance liquid chromatography. I. Sulphonamides in egg, meat and milk using post-column derivatization with dimethylaminobenzaldehyde, *J. Chromatogr.*, 1988, 435, 97-112.

#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** eggs, tissue

**Sample preparation:** Homogenize (Nippon Seiki AM-1) 5 g tissue or eggs with 25 mL MeCN: water 90:10 and 20 mL hexane, centrifuge at 2100 g for 10 min, filter (Toyo Roshi No. 2 paper) the supernatant, repeat the extraction twice more. Leave the combined filtrate until phase separation is complete, dry the MeCN layer over anhydrous sodium sulfate, filter, add to the alumina column, wash with 30 mL MeCN, elute with 20 mL MeCN:water 90:10. Evaporate the eluate to dryness and reconstitute the residue with 1 mL mobile phase, inject a 20 μL aliquot. (Prepare the alumina column by adding 6 g 60-200 μm 90 active basic (activity I) aluminum oxide (Merck) to a 300 × 15 column, wash with 30 mL MeCN:water 90:10, wash with 30 mL MeCN.)

#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** 4 × 4 7 μm LiChrosorb RP-18

**Column:** 250 × 4 7 μm LiChrosorb RP-18

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:50 mM pH 5.0 phosphate buffer 25:75

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** UV 270

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 12.4

**Limit of detection:** 10 ppb

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Extracted:** metabolites, N-acetylsulfadimethoxine, N-acetylsulfamonomethoxine, sulfamonomethoxine

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#### KEY WORDS

pig; cow; chicken; muscle; SPE

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#### REFERENCE

Furusawa,N.; Mukai,T. Simultaneous high-performance liquid chromatographic determination of residual sulphamonomethoxine, sulphadimethoxine and their N4-acetyl metabolites in foods of animal origin, *J.Chromatogr.A*, **1994**, 677, 81-85.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** formulations

**Sample preparation:** Powder 20 tablets, dissolve a portion of the powder in water such that the concentration of penicillin V potassium is 0.6 mg/mL, mix well, filter. Mix 20 mL filtrate with 15 mL 0.4 mg/mL sulfadimethoxine in MeCN:water 50:50, dilute to 100 mL with water, mix well, inject a 20  $\mu$ L aliquot.

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** 40 mm long 30-50  $\mu$ m Whatman Co:Pell ODS

**Column:** 300  $\times$  3.9 10  $\mu$ m  $\mu$ Bondapak C18

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:MeOH:10 mM  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$  21:4:75

**Flow rate:** 1-1.5

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** UV 225

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Internal standard:** sulfadimethoxine

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Simultaneous:** penicillin V

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#### KEY WORDS

tablets; collaborative study; sulfamdimethoxine is IS

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#### REFERENCE

Mopper,B. Liquid chromatographic determination of penicillin V potassium in tablets: collaborative study, *J.Assoc.Off.Anal.Chem.*, **1989**, 72, 883-884.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** milk

**Sample preparation:** Mix 5 mL milk with 20  $\mu$ L 12 M HCl, sonicate, add 25 mL ethyl acetate, extract using a rotary shaker (REAX 2, Heidolph) for 10 min. Centrifuge at 1500 g for 5 min, evaporate 20 mL of the ethyl acetate extract to dryness, dissolve the residue in 10 mL 1 HCl. Wash the aqueous phase with 10 mL hexane, adjust to pH 5.5 with 900  $\mu$ L 10 M NaOH and 5 mL 1 M pH 6.0  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$ , extract with two 10 mL portions of dichloromethane. Evaporate the organic layer to dryness, dissolve the residue in 2 mL mobile phase, inject a 50  $\mu$ L aliquot.

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 150  $\times$  3.9 5  $\mu$ m Novapak C18 (Waters)

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:10 mM pH 6.6 ammonium acetate 10:90

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 50

**Detector:** UV 271

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## CHROMATOGRAM

**Limit of detection:** 10 ng/mL

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## OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Also analyzed:** sulfadimidine (UV 265), sulfadoxine, sulfamethoxypyridazine (UV 265)

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## KEY WORDS

cow; milk

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## REFERENCE

Roudaut, B.; Moretain, J.P. Sulphonamide residues in milk of dairy cows following intravenous injection, *Food Addit. Contam.*, **1990**, 7, 527–533.

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## SAMPLE

**Matrix:** milk

**Sample preparation:** 500  $\mu$ L Milk + 2 g C18 material + 10  $\mu$ L MeOH + 10  $\mu$ L 12.5  $\mu$ g/mL sulfamerazine in MeOH, let stand for 1 min, grind with a glass pestle until homogeneous, place in a 10 mL syringe barrel plugged with filter paper, place filter paper on top, compress to 4.5 mL with a plunger, restrict column outlet with a 100  $\mu$ L pipette tip, wash with 8 mL hexane, remove excess hexane with positive pressure, elute with 8 mL dichloromethane, elute excess dichloromethane with positive pressure. Evaporate the eluate under a stream of nitrogen, dissolve the residue in 100  $\mu$ L MeOH and 400  $\mu$ L 17 mM orthophosphoric acid, sonicate for 5–10 min, centrifuge at 13600 g for 5 min, filter supernatant (0.45  $\mu$ m), inject a 20  $\mu$ L aliquot. (C18 material was Analytichem 40  $\mu$ m 18% load endcapped. Add 22 g to a 50 mL syringe barrel wash with 2 column volumes of hexane, 2 volumes of dichloromethane, and 2 volumes of MeOH, vacuum aspirate until dry.)

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## HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 75  $\times$  4.3  $\mu$ m Supelcosil LC-18

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:17 mM orthophosphoric acid 10:90

**Column temperature:** 45

**Flow rate:** 1 for 5 min then 2 for remainder of run

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** UV 270

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## CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 15.5

**Internal standard:** sulfamerazine (3)

**Limit of detection:** 62.5 ng/mL

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## OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Simultaneous:** sulfamethoxazole, sulfanilamide, sulfathiazole, sulfadiazine, sulfamethazine, sulfisoxazole

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## REFERENCE

Long, A.R.; Short, C.R.; Barker, S.A. Method for the isolation and liquid chromatographic determination of eight sulfonamides in milk, *J. Chromatogr.*, **1990**, 502, 87–94.

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## SAMPLE

**Matrix:** milk

**Sample preparation:** Wash filter paper with 5 mL chloroform:acetone 2:1, discard filtrate. Extract 10 mL milk with 50 mL chloroform:acetone 2:1 by shaking for 4 min with periodic venting, let stand for 5 min, repeat extraction with 25 mL chloroform:acetone 2:1. Filter the organic layers, wash the filter paper with two 5 mL portions of chloroform:acetone 2:1. Evaporate the filtrate just to dryness under reduced pressure at  $32 \pm 2^\circ$ , reconstitute the residue with 1 mL 13.6 g/L  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$ , vortex for 1 min, add 5 mL hexane, vortex for 1 min, let stand for 2 min, vortex for 1 min, let stand for at least 15 min, filter (2  $\mu$ m) the aqueous layer, inject a 100  $\mu$ L aliquot of the filtrate

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Guard column:** 20 mm long Supelco guard column

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 LC-18-DB (Supelco)

**Mobile phase:** MeOH:13.6 g/L KH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> 30:70

**Column temperature:** 35

**Flow rate:** 1.5

**Injection volume:** 100

**Detector:** UV 265

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 15.0

**Limit of detection:** 0.7 ppb

**Limit of quantitation:** 1.6 ppb

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Extracted:** sulfachloropyridazine, sulfamethazine, sulfaquinoxaline

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**KEY WORDS**

cow

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**REFERENCE**

Smedley,M.D.; Weber,J.D. Liquid chromatographic determination of multiple sulfonamide residues in bovine milk, *J.Assoc.Off.Anal.Chem.*, **1990**, 73, 875–879.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** milk

**Sample preparation:** 5 mL Milk + 100 µL concentrated HCl, sonicate for 15 s, centrifuge at 3000 g for 10 min, wash the precipitate with 2 mL water, centrifuge. Combine the aqueous layers and add 5 mL hexane, mix, centrifuge at 1500 g for 1 min, repeat the hexane wash. Evaporate the aqueous layer to dryness at low pressure, reconstitute with MeOH, centrifuge, evaporate the supernatant to dryness, reconstitute the residue with 3 mL water, inject a 50–500 µL aliquot on to column A and elute to waste with mobile phase A, after 3 min elute the contents of column A on to column B with mobile phase B and start the gradient, elute with mobile phase B and monitor the effluent from column B.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** A 30 mm long 10 µm RP-18; B 150 × 4.6 5 µm Spherisorb ODS-2

**Mobile phase:** A 100 mM Ammonium acetate buffer or 1% formic acid (?); B Gradient. A was 100 mM ammonium acetate buffer or 1% formic acid (?). B was MeCN:water 70:30 containing 100 mM ammonium acetate or 1% formic acid (?). A:B from 100:0 to 80:20 over 0.5 min, maintain at 80:20, for 1 min, to 25:75 over 10 min.

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 50–500

**Detector:** UV 254 or MS, Finnigan TSQ 70 triple quadrupole, Finnigan TSP source and interface, interface 80–85°, source 250°, manifold 70°, collision gas argon 0.4 mTorr, collision energy 40–50 eV

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 12.1

**Limit of detection:** 400 pg (LC-SIM), 5–20 ng (MS-scan), 2 ng (UV)

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Extracted:** sulfachloropyridazine, sulfadiazine, sulfamerazine, sulfamethazine, sulfamethizole, sulfanilamide, sulfapyridine, sulfathiazole

**Interfering:** sulfaquinoxaline (distinguish by MS)

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**KEY WORDS**

cow; column-switching

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**REFERENCE**

Abián, J.; Churchwell, M.I.; Korfmacher, W.A. High-performance liquid chromatography-thermospray mass spectrometry of ten sulfonamide antibiotics. Analysis in milk at the ppb level, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1993**, 629, 267–276.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** milk

**Sample preparation:** Sonicate (Branson Model 200 ultrasonic cell disruptor with a microtip probe) 50 mL milk for 2 min, cool to room temperature. Remove a 5 mL aliquot and add it to 25 mL dichloromethane:chloroform 75:25, invert 20 times, vortex horizontally at high speed for 15 s, centrifuge at 3300 g at 10° for 10 min. Remove 10 mL of the organic layer and evaporate it to just dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 32°, reconstitute the residue in 5 mL hexane, vortex for 30 s, add 1 mL 100 mM  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$ , shake briefly by hand, shake mechanically horizontally for 15 min, inject a 200  $\mu\text{L}$  aliquot of the lower aqueous layer.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Guard column:** 50 mm long LC-18-DB (Supelco)

**Column:** 300  $\times$  4.6 LC-18-DB (Supelco)

**Mobile phase:** MeOH:100 mM  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$  40:60

**Column temperature:** 35

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 200

**Detector:** UV 269

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 9.5

**Limit of quantitation:** 5 ppb

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**KEY WORDS**

cow

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**REFERENCE**

Weiss, G.; Laurencot, H.J.; MacDonald, A.; Duke, P.D.; Misra, K.; Horton, G.M.; Katz, S.E.; Brady, M.S. Determination of sulfadimethoxine withdrawal time from milk. Part I: Dosing, sampling and assay, *J.AOAC Int.*, **1995**, 78, 358–371.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** milk, urine

**Sample preparation:** Urine. Filter (Rainin glassfiber microfilter and Rainin 0.45  $\mu\text{m}$  nylon-66 filter), inject an aliquot. Milk. Filter (Rainin glassfiber microfilter), inject an aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 5  $\mu\text{m}$  YMC-Pack ODS-AQ (YMC)

**Mobile phase:** MeOH:buffer 6:94 pH adjusted to 3.0 (Buffer was 70 mM in sodium dodecyl sulfate and 20 mM in  $\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_4$ .)

**Column temperature:** 40

**Detector:** UV 254

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 10.78

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Extracted:** sulfacetamide, sulfabenzamide, sulfadiazine, sulfamerazine, sulfamethazine, sulfamethoxypyridazine, sulfamonomethoxine, sulfaquinoxaline, sulfathiazole, sulfisomidine

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**KEY WORDS**

human; cow; micellar liquid chromatography

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**REFERENCE**

Yang, S.; Khaledi, M.G. Micellar liquid chromatographic separation of sulfonamides in physiological samples using direct on-column injection, *J.Chromatogr.A*, **1995**, 692, 311–318.



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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** solutions

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 300 × 3.9 10 μm μBondapak C18

**Mobile phase:** MeOH:10 mM phosphate buffer 52:48

**Flow rate:** 1.5

**Detector:** F ex 400 em 500

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** sulfachlorpyridazine, sulfadoxine, sulfamethazine, sulfaquinoxaline, sulfathiazole

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**REFERENCE**

Thomas,G.K.; Millar,R.G.; Anstis,P.W. Stability of sulfonamide antibiotics in spiked pig liver tissue during frozen storage, *J.AOAC Int.*, **1997**, 80, 988–995.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** solutions

**Sample preparation:** Prepare a solution in dichloromethane, inject a 10 μL aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250 mm long MicroPak CN-10

**Mobile phase:** Isooctane:chloroform:MeOH:acetic acid 30.5:65:4:0.5

**Flow rate:** 0.33

**Injection volume:** 10

**Detector:** UV 254

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 3.99

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** sulfabromomethazine, sulfachlorpyridazine, sulfadiazine, sulfaethoxypridazine, sulfamethazine

**Noninterfering:** sulfamerazine, sulfathiazole, sulfanilamide, sulfapyridine, sulfaquinoline

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**REFERENCE**

Seymour,D.; Rupe,B.D. High-pressure liquid chromatographic determination of sulfamethazine residues in beef tissues, *J.Pharm.Sci.*, **1980**, 69, 701–703.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** solutions

**Sample preparation:** Prepare a solution in mobile phase, inject an aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Guard column:** 25–40 μm LiChroprep Si 60 (Merck)

**Column:** 250 × 4 10 μm LiChrosorb Si 60

**Mobile phase:** Dichloromethane:MeOH:ammonia 80:19:1

**Flow rate:** 1.5

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** UV 289

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 3.7

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** N-acetylsulfadiazine, sulfadiazine, trimethoprim

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**KEY WORDS**

normal phase

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**REFERENCE**

Ascalone, V. Assay of trimethoprim, sulfadiazine and its N4-acetyl metabolite in biological fluids by normal-phase high-performance liquid chromatography, *J. Chromatogr.*, **1981**, 224, 59–66.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** solutions

**Sample preparation:** Inject an aliquot of a solution in MeOH.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 300 × 3.9 μBondapak C18

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:water:acetic acid 12.5:86.5:1

**Flow rate:** 1.6

**Injection volume:** 10

**Detector:** UV 254

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 39

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** sulfabenzamide, sulfacetamide, sulfachlorpyridazine, sulfadiazine, sulfamerazine, sulfamethazine, sulfamethizole, sulfamethoxazole, sulfanilamide, sulfapyridine, sulfisoxazole

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**REFERENCE**

Roos, R.W. High pressure liquid chromatographic determination of sulfisoxazole in pharmaceuticals and separation patterns of other sulfonamides, *J. Assoc. Off. Anal. Chem.*, **1981**, 64, 851–854.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** solutions

**Sample preparation:** Inject an aliquot of a solution in mobile phase.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 300 × 3.9 10 μm μBondapak C18

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:water:acetic acid 30:69:1

**Flow rate:** 2

**Injection volume:** 10

**Detector:** UV 254

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 5.5

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** sulfisoxazole

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**REFERENCE**

Roos, R.W. High pressure liquid chromatographic determination of sulfisoxazole in dosage forms: collaborative study, *J. Assoc. Off. Anal. Chem.*, **1983**, 66, 1182–1185.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** solutions

**Sample preparation:** Dissolve in MeOH:water 1:1 at a concentration of 50 μg/mL, inject a 10 μL aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 300 × 3.9 10 μm μBondapak C18

**Mobile phase:** MeOH:acetic acid:triethylamine:water 40:1.5:0.5:58

**Flow rate:** 1.5

**Injection volume:** 10

**Detector:** UV

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:**  $k'$  2.56

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**REFERENCE**

Roos,R.W.; Lau-Cam,C.A. General reversed-phase high-performance liquid chromatographic method for the separation of drugs using triethylamine as a competing base, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1986**, 370, 403–418.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** solutions

**Sample preparation:** Prepare a solution in mobile phase, inject a 20  $\mu$ L aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Guard column:** 10  $\times$  4.5  $\mu$ m Hypersil ODS RP-C18

**Column:** 100  $\times$  4.5  $\mu$ m Hypersil ODS RP-C18

**Mobile phase:** MeOH:50 mM pH 6.67 phosphate buffer 10:90

**Flow rate:** 0.8

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** UV 265

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 28

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** sulfamethazine (sulfadimidine)

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**REFERENCE**

van 't Klooster,G.A.E.; van Seeventer,P.B.; Kolker,H.J.; Smit,L.A.; Witkamp,R.F. High-performance liquid chromatographic method for the routine determination of sulphadimidine, its hydroxy metabolites and N4-acetylsulphadimidine in body fluids and cell culture media, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1991**, 571, 157–168.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** solutions

**Sample preparation:** Prepare a solution in mobile phase, inject a 20  $\mu$ L aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 Nucleosil 5C18

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:10 mM pH 5.6 phosphate buffer 8:92

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** UV 270

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 189.5

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** N-acetylsulfisomidine, sulfachloropyridazine, sulfadoxine, sulfamethazine (sulfadimidine), sulfamethoxy pyridazine, sulfamonomethoxine, sulfisomidine, sulfisoxazole

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**REFERENCE**

Nishikawa,M.; Takahashi,Y.; Ishihara,Y. High performance liquid chromatographic determination of sulfisomidine and N4-acetylsulfisomidine in swine tissues, *J.Liq.Chromatogr.*, **1993**, 16, 4031–4047.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** solutions

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 Zorbax RX

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was 10 mL concentrated orthophosphoric acid and 7 mL triethylamine in 1 L water. B was 10 mL concentrated orthophosphoric acid and 7 mL triethylamine in 200

mL water, make up to 1 L with MeCN. A:B from 100:0 to 0:100 over 30 min, maintain at 0:100 for 5 min.

**Column temperature:** 30

**Flow rate:** 2

**Detector:** UV 210

## OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Also analyzed:** acepromazine, acetaminophen, acetophenazine, albuterol, aminophylline, amitrityline, amobarbital, amoxapine, amphetamine, amylocaine, antipyrine, aprobarbital, aspirin, atenolol, atropine, avermectin, barbital, benzocaine, benzoic acid, benzotropine, benzphetamine, berberine, bibucaine, bromazepam, brompheniramine, buprenorphine, buspirone, butabarbital, butacaine, butethal, caffeine, carbamazepine, carbromal, chloramphenicol, chlor-diazepoxide, chloroquine, chlorothiazide, chloroxylenol, chlorphenesin, chlorpheniramine, chlorpromazine, chlorpropamide, chlortetracycline, cimetidine, cinchonidine, cinchonine, clenbuterol, clonazepam, clonixin, clorazepate, cocaine, codeine, colchicine, cortisone, coumarin, cyclazocine, cyclobenzaprine, cyclothiazide, cyheptamide, cymarin, danazol, danthron, dapsone, debrisoquine, desipramine, dexamethasone, dextromethorphan, dextropropoxyphene, diamorphine, diazepam, diclofenac, diethylpropion, diethylstilbestrol, diflunisal, digitoxin, digoxin, diltiazem, diphenhydramine, diphenoxylate, diprenorphine, dipyrone, disulfiram, dopamine, doxapram, doxepin, dronabinol, ephedrine, epinephrine, epinine, estradiol, estriol, estrone, ethacrynic acid, ethosuximide, etonitazene, etorphine, eugenol, famotidine, fenbendazole, fenclafamine, fenopropfen, fenproporex, fentanyl, flubendazole, flufenamic acid, flunitrazepam, 5-fluorouracil, fluoxymesterone, fluphenazine, furosemide, gentisic acid, gitoxigenin, glipizide, glunixin, glutethimide, glybenclamide, guaiaicol, halazepam, haloperidol, hydrochlorothiazide, hydrocodone, hydrocortisone, hydromorphone, hydroxyquinoline, ibogaine, ibuprofen, iminostilbene, imipramine, indomethacin, isocarbostyryl, isocarboxazid, isoniazid, isoproterenol, isoxsuprine, ivermectin, ketamine, ketoprofen, kynurenic acid, levorphanol, lidocaine, lorazepam, lormetazepam, loxapine, mazindol, mebendazole, meclizine, meclofenamic acid, medazepam, mefenamic acid, megestrol, mepacrine, meperidine, mephentermine, mephenytoin, mephesin, mephobarbital, mepivacaine, mescaline, mesoridazine, methadone, methamphetamine, methapyrilene, methaqualone, methazolamide, methocarbamol, methoxamine, methsuximide, methyl salicylate, methyl dopa, methyl dopamine, methylphenidate, methylprednisolone, methyltestosterone, methypylon, metoprolol, mibolerone, morphine, nadolol, nalorphine, naloxone, naltrexone, naphazoline, naproxen, nefopam, niacinamide, nicotine, niacin, nifedipine, niflumic acid, nitrazepam, norepinephrine, nortriptyline, noscapine, nylidrin, oxazepam, oxycodone, oxymorphone, oxyphenbutazone, oxytetracycline, papaverine, pargyline, pemoline, pentazocine, pentobarbital, persantine, phenacetin, phenazocine, phenazopyridine, phencyclidine, phendimetrazine, phenelzine, pheniramine, phenobarbital, phenothiazine, phensuximide, phentermine, phenylbutazone, phenylephrine, phenylpropanolamine, piperocaine, prazepam, prednisolone, primidone, probenecid, progesterone, propiomazine, propranolol, propylparaben, pseudoephedrine, puromycin, pyrilamine, pyridylidone, quazepam, quinaldic acid, quinidine, quinine, ranitidine, recinnamine, reserpine, resorcinol, saccharin, albuterol, salicylamide, salicylic acid, scopolamine, scopoletin, secobarbital, strychnine, sulfacetamide, sulfaethidole, sulfamerazine, sulfamethazine, sulfamethoxazole, sulfanilamide, sulfapyridine, sulfasoxazole, sulindac, tamoxifen, temazepam, testosterone, tetracaine, tetracycline, tetramisole, thebaine, theobromine, theophylline, thiabendazole, thiamine, thiamylal, thiobarbituric acid, thioridazine, thiosalicylic acid, thiothixene, thymol, tolazamide, tolazoline, tobutamide, tolmetin, transylcypromine, triamcinolone, tribenzylamine, trichloromethiazide, trifluoperazine, trihexyphenidyl, trimethoprim, tripeleannamine, triprolidine, tropacocaine, tyramine, verapamil, vincamine, warfarin, yohimbine, zoxazolamine

## REFERENCE

Hill, D.W.; Kind, A.J. Reversed-phase solvent gradient HPLC retention indexes of drugs, *J. Anal. Toxicol.*, **1994**, *18*, 233–242.

## SAMPLE

**Matrix:** solutions

## HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 300 × 0.35 5 µm Vydac IDI-TP C18 TMS capped

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. MeCN:MeOH:buffer 0:0:100 at start of run, to 0:5:95 after injection (step gradient), to 0:8:92 over 7 min, to 6:0:94 (step gradient), maintain at 6:0:94 for 14 min, to 0:16:84 over 5 min, to 0:18:82 over 5 min, to 0:30:70 over 5 min. (Buffer was 1 mM pH 2.72 phosphate buffer.)

Column temperature: 30  
Flow rate: 0.006  
Injection volume: 1  
Detector: UV 270

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

Retention time: 53

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Simultaneous:** diaveridine, phthalyl sulfathiazole, pyrimethamine, succinyl sulfathiazole, sulfabenzamide, sulfacetamide, sulfachloropyridazine, sulfadiazine, sulfaguanidine, sulfamerazine, sulfameter, sulfamethazine, sulfamethizole, sulfamethoxazole, sulfamethoxypyridazine, sulfamoxole, sulfanilamide, sulfanilic acid, sulfapyridine, sulfaquinoxaline, sulfathiazole, sulfisomidine, sulfisoxazole, trimethoprim

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#### KEY WORDS

capillary HPLC

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#### REFERENCE

Ricci, M.C.; Cross, R.F. High performance liquid chromatographic analyses of sulphonamides and dihydrofolate reductase inhibitors. II. Separations in acetonitrile modified solutions, ternary gradient studies & flow programming, *J. Liq. Chromatogr. Rel. Technol.*, **1996**, 19, 547-564.

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#### SAMPLE

Matrix: solutions

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 300 × 0.35 5 µm Vydac IDI-TP C18 TMS capped

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. MeOH:buffer 0:100 at start of run, to 10:90 after injection (step gradient), to 12:88 over 30 min, to 18:82 over 5 min, to 30:70 over 5 min. (Buffer was 1 mM pH 2.72 phosphate buffer)

**Column temperature:** 30

**Flow rate:** 0.006

**Injection volume:** 1

**Detector:** UV 270

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

Retention time: 61

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Simultaneous:** diaveridine, phthalyl sulfathiazole, pyrimethamine, succinyl sulfathiazole, sulfabenzamide, sulfacetamide, sulfachloropyridazine, sulfadiazine, sulfaguanidine, sulfamerazine, sulfameter, sulfamethazine, sulfamethizole, sulfamethoxazole, sulfamethoxypyridazine, sulfamoxole, sulfanilamide, sulfanilic acid, sulfapyridine, sulfaquinoxaline, sulfathiazole, sulfisomidine, sulfisoxazole, trimethoprim

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#### KEY WORDS

capillary HPLC

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#### REFERENCE

Ricci, M.C.; Cross, R.F. High-performance liquid chromatographic analyses of sulphonamides and dihydrofolate reductase inhibitors. I. Separations in methanol-modified solutions, *J. Liq. Chromatogr. Rel. Technol.*, **1996**, 19, 365-381.

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#### SAMPLE

Matrix: tissue

**Sample preparation:** 500 mg Tissue + 2 g C18 material + 5 µL MeOH + 5 µL 80 µg/mL sulfamethoxazole in MeOH, let stand for 2 min, grind gently with a glass pestle until homogeneous, place in a 10 mL syringe barrel plugged with filter paper, place filter paper on top, compress to 4.5 mL with a plunger, restrict column outlet with a 100 µL pipette tip, wash with 8 mL hexane, remove excess hexane with positive pressure, elute with 8 mL dichloromethane,

elute excess dichloromethane with positive pressure. Evaporate the eluate under a stream of nitrogen at 40°, dissolve the residue in 500  $\mu$ L mobile phase, sonicate for 5-10 min, centrifuge at 17000 g for 5 min, filter supernatant (0.45  $\mu$ m), inject a 25  $\mu$ L aliquot. (C18 material was Analytichem 40  $\mu$ m 18% load endcapped. Add 22 g to a 50 mL syringe barrel wash with 2 column volumes of hexane, 2 volumes of dichloromethane, and 2 volumes of MeOH, vacuum aspirate until dry.)

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 300  $\times$  4 MicroPak ODS

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:17 mM orthophosphoric acid 35:65

**Column temperature:** 40

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 25

**Detector:** UV 270

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 8

**Internal standard:** sulfamethoxazole (6)

**Limit of detection:** 1.25 ng

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**KEY WORDS**

muscle; fish; catfish; matrix solid phase dispersion

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**REFERENCE**

Long, A.R.; Hsieh, L.C.; Malbrough, M.S.; Short, C.R.; Barker, S.A. Matrix solid phase dispersion isolation and liquid chromatographic determination of sulfadimethoxine in catfish (*Ictalurus punctatus*) muscle tissue, *J. Assoc. Off. Anal. Chem.*, **1990**, 73, 868-871.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** tissue

**Sample preparation:** Condition a Sep-Pak C18 SPE cartridge with 5 mL MeOH and 5 mL water. 5 g Fish + 1 mL 100  $\mu$ g/mL carbamazepine diol in MeOH + 15 mL MeCN + 500  $\mu$ L 50% trichloroacetic acid, homogenize (Brinkmann Polytron PT 10/35) at medium speed for 30 s, centrifuge at 4° at 7800 g for 25 min. Remove the supernatant and evaporate it to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 40°, reconstitute the residue in 5 mL water, vortex for 30 s, filter (13 mm dia. 8  $\mu$ m Membra-Fil (Nucleopore)), add the filtrate to the SPE cartridge, elute with 5 mL MeOH. Evaporate the eluate to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 40°, reconstitute the residue in 1 mL mobile phase, vortex for 30 s, inject a 20  $\mu$ L aliquot. (Flush injection valve with 1 mL mobile phase between analyses.)

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Guard column:** 15  $\times$  3.2 NewGuard RP-18

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 5  $\mu$ m Ultrasphere

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:MeOH:100 mM pH 4.0 phosphate buffer 17:10:73

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** UV 280

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 27.5

**Internal standard:** carbamazepine diol (10.5)

**Limit of quantitation:** 0.2 ppm

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Extracted:** ormetoprim

**Simultaneous:** sulfacetamide, sulfadiazine, sulfamerazine, sulfamethazine, sulfisoxazole

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**KEY WORDS**

fish; salmon; SPE; pharmacokinetics

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**REFERENCE**

Walisser, J.A.; Burt, H.M.; Valg, T.A.; Kitts, D.D.; McErlane, K.M. High-performance liquid chromatographic analysis of Romet-30 in salmon following administration of medicated feed, *J. Chromatogr.*, **1990**, 518, 179-188.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** tissue**Sample preparation:** Condition a 500 mg Bond Elut C18 SPE cartridge with 5 mL MeOH and 10 mL water. Homogenize 5 g tissue with 100 mL MeOH:0.2% metaphosphoric acid 40:60 for 2 min, filter through a 1 mm layer of Hyflo Super-Cel. Evaporate the filtrate under reduced pressure at 40° to 10 mL, add the residue to the SPE cartridge, wash with 10 mL water, elute with 10 mL MeOH. Evaporate the eluate to dryness under reduced pressure, take up the residue in 1 mL mobile phase, inject a 10 µL aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Guard column:** 15 × 3.2 Newguard RP-8**Column:** 150 × 4.6 5 µm Inertsil ODS**Mobile phase:** MeCN:5 mM oxalic acid 45:55**Flow rate:** 0.5**Injection volume:** 10**Detector:** UV 265

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 8**Limit of detection:** 50 ng/g

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES****Extracted:** sulfamonomethoxine, sulfisozole, nalidixic acid, oxolinic acid, piromidic acid, sodium nifurstyrenate, furazolidone

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**KEY WORDS**

fish; SPE

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**REFERENCE**Horie, M.; Saito, K.; Hoshino, Y.; Nose, N.; Nakazawa, H.; Yamane, Y. Simultaneous determination of residual synthetic antibacterials in fish by high-performance liquid chromatography, *J. Chromatogr.*, **1991**, 538, 484-491.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** tissue**Sample preparation:** Condition a 500 mg Chromabond SA cation-exchange SPE cartridge (Macherey-Nagel) with 6 mL hexane, dry under vacuum for 10 min, condition with 6 mL dichloromethane:acetone:acetic acid 50:50:2, do not allow to go dry. Homogenize (Polytron) 10 g sample with 60 mL dichloromethane:acetone 50:50 for 30 s, rinse the apparatus with 2-3 mL dichloromethane:acetone 50:50, centrifuge the mixture at 2500 rpm for 10 min. Filter (cotton wool) the supernatant and wash it through with a little dichloromethane:acetone 50:50, add 5 mL acetic acid to the filtrate, mix, remove one tenth of this mixture and add it to the SPE cartridge at 2 mL/min, do not allow the SPE cartridge to run dry, wash with 5 mL water, wash with 5 mL MeOH, dry under vacuum for 10 min, pass gaseous ammonia through the SPE cartridge until the acid is neutralized (when air is passed through the cartridge moist pH paper should turn blue), elute with 3 mL MeOH at 1-2 mL/min, carefully evaporate to dryness under reduced pressure (100 mbar) at 40°, reconstitute with 500 µL initial mobile phase, centrifuge, inject a 50 µL aliquot of the supernatant.

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 125 × 4.5 µm LiChrospher 100 RP-18**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was MeCN:20 mM pH 5 sodium acetate buffer 5.5:94.5. B was MeCN:EtOH:20 mM pH 5 sodium acetate buffer 50:10:40. A:B from 100:0 to 0:100 over 32 min (concave gradient), return to initial conditions over 4 min, re-equilibrate at initial conditions for 10 min.**Flow rate:** 0.8**Injection volume:** 50**Detector:** UV 270, F ex 395 em 495 following post-column reaction. The column effluent mixed with ice-cold reagent pumped at 0.3 mL/min and this mixture flowed through a 2.3 m × 0.5 mm ID coil in a cooled ultrasonic bath to the detector. (Prepare reagent by dissolving 25 mg fluorescamine in 25 mL MeCN and adding 75 mL buffer and 200 µL mercaptoethanol. Buffer was 20 mM NaH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> adjusted to pH 3 with 1 M phosphoric acid.)

**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 28**Limit of detection:** 0.5-5 ppb

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Extracted:** sulfachloropyridazine, sulfadiazine, sulfadoxine, sulfaguanidine, sulfamerazine, sulfamethazine (sulfadimidine), sulfamethizole, sulfamethoxypyridazine, sulfanilamide, sulfapyridine, sulfathiazole

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**KEY WORDS**post-column reaction; muscle; kidney; SPE

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**REFERENCE**

Pacciarelli,B.; Reber,S.; Douglas,C.; Dietrich,S.; Etter,R. Determination of 12 sulfonamides in meat and kidney by HPLC with post-column derivatization, *Mitt.geb.Lebensmittelunters.Hyg.*, **1991**, 82, 45-55.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** tissue

**Sample preparation:** Homogenize (Brinkmann Polytron) 40 g salmon tissue and 200 mL acetone for 3 min, add 10 g Celite, add 20 g sodium sulfate, blend for 2 min, filter, wash the solid with three 15 mL portions of acetone. Evaporate the filtrate to dryness under reduced pressure at 40°, reconstitute with 100 mL dichloromethane. Remove a 50 mL aliquot and add it to 100 mL 100 mM NaOH, shake vigorously, centrifuge at 10° at 12 g for 20 min. Remove the aqueous layer and neutralize it with HCl, freeze dry overnight, remove the remaining water under reduced pressure at 40°, reconstitute the remaining residue with 5 mL MeOH:water 25:75, filter (0.45 µm), inject a 20 µL aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 250 × 4.6 5 µm Supelcosil LC 18DB**Mobile phase:** MeCN:water 35:65 containing 0.1% formic acid**Flow rate:** 1**Injection volume:** 20**Detector:** UV 265

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**CHROMATOGRAM****Retention time:** 7.3**Limit of detection:** 13 ng/g

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** phthalylsulfathiazole, succinylsulfathiazole, sulfabenzamide, sulfacetamide, sulfachloropyridazine, sulfadiazine, sulfaguanidine, sulfamerazine, sulfameter, sulfamethazine, sulfamethizole, sulfamethoxazole, sulfamethoxypyridazine, sulfamoxole, sulfanilamide, sulfapyridine, sulfaquinoxaline, sulfathiazole, sulfisomidine, sulfisoxazole

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**KEY WORDS**salmon; fish

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**REFERENCE**

Pleasant,S.; Blay,P.; Quilliam,M.A.; O'Hara,G. Determination of sulfonamides by liquid chromatography, ultraviolet diode array detection and ion-spray tandem mass spectrometry with application to cultured salmon flesh, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1991**, 558, 155-173.

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** tissue

**Sample preparation:** Blend 3 g meat with 30 mL chloroform for 2 min in a Polytron homogenizer, shake for 10 min, centrifuge at 1600 g for 5 min, filter (5A filter paper). Add 5 mL filtrate to 1 mL 3 M HCl, shake for 10 min, centrifuge at 1600 g for 5 min. 250 µL Aqueous layer + 250 µL 3.5 M sodium acetate solution, vortex, add 100 µL 0.2% fluorescamine in acetone, vortex, let stand for 20 min at room temperature, inject a 10 µL aliquot.



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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 150 × 4.6 5 µm Chemcosorb 5-ODS-H

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:2% acetic acid 5:3

**Column temperature:** 55

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 10

**Detector:** F ex 405 em 495

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 14.5

**Limit of detection:** 0.005 ng/g

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** sulfisomidine, sulfamethoxazole, sulfamerazine, sulfadiazine, sulfamonomethoxine, sulfamethazine (sulfadimidine), sulfaquinoxaline

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**KEY WORDS**

cow; pig; chicken; ham; sausage; roast beef; derivatization

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**REFERENCE**

Takeda, N.; Akiyama, Y. Pre-column derivatization of sulfa drugs with fluorescamine and high-performance liquid chromatographic determination at their residual levels in meat and meat products, *J. Chromatogr.*, **1991**, 558, 175-180.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** tissue

**Sample preparation:** Homogenize (Polytron) 10 g ground tissue with 40 mL acetone, centrifuge at 2800 g for 5 min, filter (paper) the supernatant. Homogenize (Polytron) the residue with 20 mL acetone for 1 min, centrifuge, filter. Combine the filtrates and add 60 mL 125 mM HCl, wash twice with 50 mL portions of n-hexane, add 10 mL 1 M pH 5.2 acetate buffer, adjust pH to 5.0-5.1 with 5 M NaOH, extract with 60 mL and 40 mL portions of ethyl acetate, combine the organic layers, evaporate to about 2 mL under reduced pressure at 45°C, add about 15 mL EtOH, evaporate to dryness under reduced pressure at 50°, reconstitute immediately with 5-7 mL dichloromethane. Add to an 85 mm long column of silica gel made up in dichloromethane, rinse the flask twice with 1-2 mL portions of dichloromethane, add the rinses to the column, elute with 40 mL acetone:dichloromethane (60:40), elute to waste until the acetone front (visible against a dark background) is about 10 mm from the end of the column, collect the remaining eluate (Mitt. Gebiete. Lebensm. Hyg. 1990, 81, 522). Add 150 µL 10 µg/mL sulfabenzamide to the eluate, evaporate to dryness under reduced pressure at 45°, reconstitute the residue in 300 µL MeOH:water 50:50, filter (0.45 µm), inject a 20 µL aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Guard column:** 4 × 4 LiChrospher 5 µm 100 RP-18

**Column:** 250 × 4 5 µm Spherisorb ODS2

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:buffer 20:80 (Prepare buffer by dissolving 3.85 g ammonium acetate in 950 mL water, adjust pH to 4.00 with acetic acid, make up to 1 L with water.)

**Column temperature:** 35

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** UV 550 following post-column reaction. The column effluent mixed with ice-cold reagent pumped at 0.2 mL/min and the mixture flowed through a 25 cm × 0.33 mm ID coil. The effluent from this coil mixed with ice-cold 20 mg/mL ammonium sulfamate in water pumped at 0.2 mL/min and this mixture flowed through an ice-cooled 200 cm × 0.33 mm ID coil. The effluent from this coil mixed with ice-cold 4 mg/mL N-(1-naphthyl)ethylenediamine hydrochloride in water pumped at 0.2 mL/min and this mixture flowed through a 60 cm × 0.33 mm ID coil to the detector. (Reagent was 800 mg sodium nitrite dissolved in 150 mL water and 50 mL concentrated HCl.)

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 15.5

**Internal standard:** sulfabenzamide (8.8)

**Limit of detection:** 2 ppb

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Extracted:** sulfacetamide, sulfachloropyridazine, sulfadiazine, sulfamerazine, sulfamethazine, sulfamethoxazole, sulfamethoxypyridazine, sulfanilamide, sulfapyridine, sulfaquinoxaline, sulfathiazole

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**KEY WORDS**

post-column reaction; muscle; liver; kidney; SPE

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**REFERENCE**

Guggisberg,D.; Mooser,A.E.; Koch,H. Screening method for the quantitative determination of twelve sulfonamides in meat, liver, and kidney by HPLC with online post-column derivatization, *Mitt.geb. Lebensmittelunters.Hyg.*, **1993**, 84, 263–273.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** tissue

**Sample preparation:** Condition a 3 mL 500 mg Sep-Pak SPE cartridge with 20 mL MeOH and 20 mL water. 5 g Homogenized tissue + 40  $\mu$ L 20  $\mu$ g/mL sulfaethoxypyridazine in water + 25 mL chloroform, shake mechanically for 2 min, centrifuge at 3000 g for 5 min, remove the supernatant and separate the layers. Add the aqueous layer to the residue and repeat the extraction. Combine the chloroform layers and add 10 mL 10% NaCl in 100 mM NaOH, shake vigorously for 1 min, remove the upper aqueous layer and centrifuge it at 1500 g for 10 min. Remove 8 mL of the upper aqueous layer and add it to 10 mL 1 M pH 6  $\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_4$ , vortex for 20 s, add to the SPE cartridge, wash with 20 mL water, elute with 1 mL MeCN. Evaporate the eluate to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 50°, reconstitute in 2 mL mobile phase, vortex for 20 s, heat at 50° for 5 min, cool, filter (Gelman Acrodisc 0.45  $\mu$ m), inject a 20-50  $\mu$ L aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 5  $\mu$ m Spherisorb C18 ODS

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:10 mM pH 4.6 ammonium acetate 28:72

**Flow rate:** 1.2

**Injection volume:** 20-50

**Detector:** UV 265 or MS, VG TRIO 2 quadrupole, ion source 189°, capillary jet 320

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 23.0

**Internal standard:** sulfaethoxypyridazine (12.8)

**Limit of detection:** 10 ng/g

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Extracted:** sulfachloropyridazine, sulfadiazine, sulfadoxine, sulfamerazine, sulfamethazine, sulfamethoxazole, sulfamethoxypyridazine, sulfathiazole

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**KEY WORDS**

cow; pig; muscle; liver; SPE

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**REFERENCE**

Boison,J.O.; Keng,L.J.-Y. Determination of sulfadimethoxine and sulfamethazine residues in animal tissues by liquid chromatography and thermospray mass spectrometry, *JAOAC Int.*, **1995**, 78, 651–658.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** tissue

**Sample preparation:** Homogenize (Ultra-Turrax) 3 g ground tissue with 30 mL chloroform for 2 min, centrifuge at 3000 g for 5 min, filter (paper). Remove a 10 mL aliquot of the filtrate and add it to 1 mL 3 M HCl, vortex for 1 min, centrifuge at 2000 g for 5 min. Remove a 250  $\mu$ L aliquot of the aqueous layer and add it to 250  $\mu$ L 3.8 M sodium acetate, add 100  $\mu$ L 1 mg/mL fluorescamine in MeCN, vortex, let stand at room temperature for 20 min, inject a 20  $\mu$ L aliquot. )Sodium acetate should be a highly pure grade.)

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 5  $\mu$ m Nucleosil 120 C18

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:20 mM pH 4 NaH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> 34:66 containing 20 mM sodium octanesulfonate  
**Column temperature:** 30  
**Flow rate:** 1.2  
**Injection volume:** 20  
**Detector:** F ex 405 em 495

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 21  
**Limit of detection:** 9 ng/g

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Extracted:** sulfadiazine, sulfamethazine, sulfaquinoxaline

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#### KEY WORDS

derivatization; chicken; muscle

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#### REFERENCE

Simeonidou,E.J.; Botsoglou,N.A.; Psomas,I.E.; Fletouris,D.J. Liquid chromatographic analysis of multiple sulfonamide residues in chicken muscle using pre-column derivatization and fluorescence detection, *J.Liq.Chromatogr.Rel.Technol.*, **1996**, 19, 2349–2364.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** tissue

**Sample preparation:** Homogenize (Ultra-Turrax T-25 with S25N dispersing tool) 10 g chopped fish and 10 mL mobile phase A at high speed for 30 s, add 90 mL MeCN, shake at low speed on shaker, centrifuge at 1500 rpm for 10 min, remove the supernatant, add 30 mL MeCN to the solid, shake, centrifuge, decant the supernatant. Combine the supernatants, add 100 mL water, add 2 mL diethylene glycol, add 60 mL dichloromethane, shake for 3 min, remove the organic layer, repeat the extraction with 40 mL dichloromethane. Combine the organic layers and evaporate in a rotary evaporator at 65° to ca. 2 mL, wash into a smaller tube with two 2 mL portions of MeOH, concentrate to about 1 mL with a stream of nitrogen at 65°, dilute to 4.5 mL with 200 mM phosphoric acid, add 5 mL hexane, vortex, centrifuge for 15 min, discard upper hexane layer. Dilute the lower aqueous layer to 5 mL with 200 mM phosphoric acid, inject a 20 µL aliquot.

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** C18

**Column:** 150 × 4.6 3.5 µm Symmetry C18 (Waters)

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was MeCN:MeOH:2% acetic acid in water 5:10:85. B was MeCN:MeOH:2% acetic acid in water 25:10:65. A:B from 100:0 to 0:100 over 25 min, maintain at 0:100 for 5 min.

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** F ex 400 em 495 following post-column reaction. The column effluent mixed with 500 µg/mL fluorescamine in MeCN:MeOH:2% acetic acid 52.5:5:42.5 pumped at 0.2 mL/min and the mixture flowed through a 10.7 m × 0.4 mm i.d. coil of PTFE tubing at 70° to the detector.

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 23.5

**Limit of quantitation:** 1 ng/g

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Extracted:** sulfachloropyridazine, sulfadiazine, sulfadoxine, sulfamerazine, sulfamethazine, sulfamethizole, sulfamethoxazole, sulfamethoxypyridazine, sulfamonomethoxine, sulfanilamide, sulfapyridine, sulfaquinoxaline, sulfathiazole

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#### KEY WORDS

fish; salmon; post-column reaction

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#### REFERENCE

Gehring,T.A.; Rushing,L.G.; Thompson,H.C.,Jr. Determination of sulfonamides in edible salmon tissue by liquid chromatography with postcolumn derivatization and fluorescence detection, *JAOAC Int.*, **1997**, 80, 751–755.

# Sulfadoxine

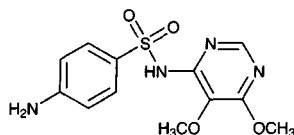
**Molecular formula:** C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>14</sub>N<sub>4</sub>O<sub>4</sub>S

**Molecular weight:** 310.33

**CAS Registry No.:** 2447-57-6

**Merck Index:** 9074

**Lednicer No.:** 1 125



## SAMPLE

**Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** Condition a 3 mL Bond Elut C8 SPE cartridge with 3 mL MeOH and 3 mL 50 mM pH 3.4 oxalate buffer. 1 mL Plasma + 1 mL 50 mM pH 3.4 oxalate buffer + 50 µL 200 µg/mL IS in MeOH:water 50:50, mix, add to the SPE cartridge. Wash with 3 mL 50 mM pH 3.4 oxalate buffer, 1 mL MeOH:water 20:80, and 2 mL hexane:ether 80:20. Elute with two 1 mL portions of MeOH:25% ammonia solution 99:1. Evaporate the eluate to dryness under a gentle stream of nitrogen at 30°. Dissolve the residue in 250 µL mobile phase, inject a 50 µL aliquot.

## HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** 20 × 3.9 5 µm Symmetry C18 (Waters)

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 5 µm Symmetry C18 (Waters)

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:MeOH:water 25:10:65 containing 1% triethylamine, adjusted to pH 5.6 with phosphoric acid

**Column temperature:** 30

**Flow rate:** 0.8

**Injection volume:** 50

**Detector:** UV 240

## CHROMATOGRAM

**Internal standard:** sulfadimethoxine

**Limit of detection:** 14.61 ng/mL

**Limit of quantitation:** 22.08 ng/mL

## OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Extracted:** pyrimethamine

**Simultaneous:** acetaminophen, 4-chlorophenylbiguanide, cycloguanil, proguanil, quinine, sulfadiazine,

## KEY WORDS

plasma; SPE

## REFERENCE

Astier,H.; Renard,C.; Cheminel,V.; Soares,O.; Mounier,C.; Peyron,F.; Chaulet,J.F. Simultaneous determination of pyrimethamine and sulphadoxine in human plasma by high-performance liquid chromatography after automated liquid-solid extraction, *J.Chromatogr.B*, **1997**, 698, 217-223.

## SAMPLE

**Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** Add 150 µL 100 mM zinc sulfate to 600 µL plasma while vortexing over 15 s, add 700 µL MeCN containing 4 µM WR 184806 and 75 µM sulfadimethoxine while vortexing over 15 s, let stand for 15 min, centrifuge at 10000 g for 10 min. Remove the supernatant and add it to 2 mL pH 9.0 phosphate buffer, add 2 mL 60 mM tetrabutylammonium hydroxide, add 5 mL MTBE, shake for 10 min, centrifuge at 1200 g for 5 min. Remove the upper organic layer and evaporate it to dryness at 50°, reconstitute the residue in 200 µL mobile phase, inject a 100 µL aliquot.

## HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 150 × 4 3 µm Spherisorb S3-ODS-1

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:100 mM phosphate buffer 48:52, adjusted to pH 3.5

**Flow rate:** 0.5  
**Injection volume:** 100  
**Detector:** UV 229

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 5.31

**Internal standard:** sulfadimethoxine (6.22), 2,8-bis(trifluoromethyl)-4-[1-hydroxy-3-(N-tert-butylamino)propyl]quinoline phosphate (WR 184806) (Walter Reed) (21.00)

**Limit of detection:** 75  $\mu$ M

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Extracted:** mefloquine, pyrimethamine

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#### KEY WORDS

plasma

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#### REFERENCE

Bergqvist,Y.; Eckerbom,S.; Larsson,H.; Malekzadeh,M. Reversed-phase liquid chromatographic method for the simultaneous determination of the antimalarial drugs sulfadoxine, pyrimethamine, mefloquine and its major carboxylic metabolite in plasma, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1991**, 571, 169–177.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** 500  $\mu$ L Plasma, whole blood, or red blood cells + 100  $\mu$ L 50  $\mu$ g/mL sulfamethoxazole in MeOH + 500  $\mu$ L water + 100  $\mu$ L buffer + 6 mL ethylene dichloride, shake on an orbital mixer for 20 min, centrifuge at 1000 g for 10 min. Remove the organic layer and evaporate it to dryness at 60° on a vortex evaporator, reconstitute the residue in 200  $\mu$ L mobile phase, inject a 20  $\mu$ L aliquot. (Buffer was prepared by adding 100  $\mu$ L acetic acid to 9.9 mL phosphate buffer, pH 3.40.)

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 300  $\times$  3.9 10  $\mu$ m  $\mu$ Bondapak C18

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:MeOH:1 M perchloric acid:water 30:9:0.8:95

**Flow rate:** 1.5

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** UV 254

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 7

**Internal standard:** sulfamethoxazole (8)

**Limit of quantitation:** 50 ng/mL

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Simultaneous:** amodiaquine, chloroquine, dapson, primaquine, pyrimethamine, quinidine, quinine, sulfalene

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#### KEY WORDS

plasma; whole blood; red blood cells; pharmacokinetics

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#### REFERENCE

Dua,V.K.; Sarin,R.; Sharma,V.P. Sulphadoxine concentrations in plasma, red blood cells and whole blood in healthy and *Plasmodium falciparum* malaria cases after treatment with Fansidar using high-performance liquid chromatography, *J.Pharm.Biomed.Anal.*, **1994**, 12, 1317–1323.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** 100  $\mu$ L Whole blood + 100  $\mu$ L 200 mM zinc sulfate + 200  $\mu$ L MeCN + sulfadimethoxine, vortex, centrifuge at 6000 g for 5 min, inject an aliquot of the supernatant.

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 70  $\times$  4.6 3  $\mu$ m Ultrasphere XL C18

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:MeOH:17 mM orthophosphoric acid 5:10:85

**Column temperature:** 45

**Flow rate:** 1.5

**Detector:** UV 270

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## CHROMATOGRAM

**Internal standard:** sulfadimethoxine

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## OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Noninterfering:** sulfalene, sulfamethoxazole

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## KEY WORDS

whole blood; comparison with colorimetric procedure

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## REFERENCE

Green,M.D.; Mount,D.L.; Todd,G.D. Determination of sulfadoxine concentrations in whole blood using C18 solid-phase extraction, sodium dodecyl sulfate and dimethylaminocinnamaldehyde, *Analyst*, **1995**, *120*, 2623-2626.

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## SAMPLE

**Matrix:** blood, urine

**Sample preparation:** Add 1 mL whole blood or urine to Toxi-Tube A (Toxi-Lab, Irvine CA), add 3 mL water, mix by gentle inversion for 5 min, centrifuge at 1500 g for 5 min. Remove the organic layer and evaporate it to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 40°, reconstitute the residue with 50 µL MeCN:water 50:50, vortex for 10 s, centrifuge at 7500 g for 2 min, inject a 10 (urine) or 30 (blood) µL aliquot. (The detector wavelength shown is the wavelength of maximum absorbance. This will not necessarily be the optimal wavelength for the separation. Multiple wavelengths from 200-350 nm can be scanned using a diode-array detector. Otherwise, 220 nm may be a reasonable choice for initial work. Matrix may interfere.)

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## HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** 20 mm long Symmetry C18

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 5 µm Symmetry C8 (Waters)

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was 50 mM pH 3.8 sodium phosphate buffer. B was MeCN. A:B 85:15 for 6.5 min, 65:35 for 18.5 min, 20:80 for 3 min (step gradient), re-equilibrate at initial conditions for 7 min.

**Column temperature:** 30

**Flow rate:** 1 for 6.5 min, to 1.5 over 18.5 min, maintain at 1.5 for 3 min (re-equilibrate at 1.5 mL/min)

**Injection volume:** 10-30

**Detector:** UV 200.5

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## CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 13.345

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## KEY WORDS

whole blood

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## REFERENCE

Gaillard,Y.; Pépin,G. Use of high-performance liquid chromatography with photodiode-array UV detection for the creation of a 600-compound library. Application to forensic toxicology, *J.Chromatogr.A*, **1997**, *763*, 149-163.

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## SAMPLE

**Matrix:** eggs, milk, tissue

**Sample preparation:** Milk. Centrifuge at 2000 g and freeze at -20° to remove the cream. Mix a 5 mL aliquot with 5 mL saline solution and add 1 mL 1% sodium azide solution (Caution! Sodium azide is highly toxic! Do not discharge to the plumbing system!). Dialyze (24" long cellulose acetate "Type C" membrane, Technicon, New York) an 8 mL aliquot against water pumped at 0.6 mL/min, pass the dialysate through column A to waste, after 10 min stop the dialysis and elute column A to waste with water, after 24 min backflush the contents of column

A onto column B with mobile phase, after 5 min remove column A from the circuit, elute column B with mobile phase, monitor the effluent from column B. Meat. Blend 10 g homogenized meat with 20 mL saline, centrifuge, remove a 10 mL aliquot of the clear upper phase and add it to 1 mL 1% sodium azide (Caution! Sodium azide is highly toxic! Do not discharge to the plumbing system!). Dialyze (24" long cellulose acetate "Type C" membrane, Technicon, New York) an 8 mL aliquot against water pumped at 0.6 mL/min, pass the dialysate through column A to waste, after 10 min stop the dialysis and elute column A to waste with water, after 24 min backflush the contents of column A onto column B with mobile phase, after 5 min remove column A from the circuit, elute column B with mobile phase, monitor the effluent from column B. Eggs. Dilute 10 g homogenized whole egg with 10 mL saline, add 3 mL 10% sodium azide solution (Caution! Sodium azide is highly toxic! Do not discharge to the plumbing system!). Dialyze (24" long cellulose acetate "Type C" membrane, Technicon, New York) an 8 mL aliquot against water pumped at 0.6 mL/min, pass the dialysate through column A to waste, after 10 min stop the dialysis and elute column A to waste with water, after 24 min backflush the contents of column A onto column B with mobile phase, after 5 min remove column A from the circuit, elute column B with mobile phase, monitor the effluent from column B.

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** A 60 × 4 50-100 µm XAD-4 (Rohm & Haas); B 250 × 4.6 7 µm Cp TM-Spher C18 (Chrompack)

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:50 mM pH 6.85 sodium acetate buffer 12.5:87.5

**Detector:** UV 450 following post-column reaction. The column effluent mixed with 1.5% p-dimethylaminobenzaldehyde in 17% phosphoric acid and the mixture flowed through a 7.5 m × 0.5 mm ID knitted PTFE coil to the detector.

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** k' 2.6

**Limit of detection:** 5-10 ng/g

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Extracted:** dapsone, sulfacetamide, sulfachlorpyrazine, sulfadiazine, sulfadimethoxine, sulfaguanidine, sulfamerazine, sulfamethazine, sulfamethoxazole, sulfanilamide, sulfaquinoxaline, sulfathiazole, sulfatroxazole

**Noninterfering:** chloramphenicol, trimethoprim

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#### KEY WORDS

post-column reaction; meat; column-switching; dialysis

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#### REFERENCE

Aerts, M.M.L.; Beek, W.M.J.; Brinkman, U.A.T. Monitoring of veterinary drug residues by a combination of continuous flow techniques and column-switching high-performance liquid chromatography. I. Sulphonamides in egg, meat and milk using post-column derivatization with dimethylaminobenzaldehyde, *J. Chromatogr.*, 1988, 435, 97-112.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** eggs, milk, tissue

**Sample preparation:** Milk. Centrifuge at 2000 g and freeze at -20° to remove the cream. Mix a 5 mL aliquot with 5 mL saline solution and add 1 mL 1% sodium azide solution (Caution! Sodium azide is highly toxic! Do not discharge to the plumbing system!). Dialyze (24" long cellulose acetate "Type C" membrane, Technicon, New York) an 8 mL aliquot against water pumped at 0.6 mL/min, pass the dialysate through column A to waste, after 10 min stop the dialysis and elute column A to waste with water, after 24 min backflush the contents of column A onto column B with mobile phase, after 5 min remove column A from the circuit, elute column B with mobile phase, monitor the effluent from column B. Meat. Blend 10 g homogenized meat with 20 mL saline, centrifuge, remove a 10 mL aliquot of the clear upper phase and add it to 1 mL 1% sodium azide (Caution! Sodium azide is highly toxic! Do not discharge to the plumbing system!). Dialyze (24" long cellulose acetate "Type C" membrane, Technicon, New York) an 8 mL aliquot against water pumped at 0.6 mL/min, pass the dialysate through column A to waste, after 10 min stop the dialysis and elute column A to waste with water, after 24 min backflush the contents of column A onto column B with mobile phase, after 5 min remove column A from the circuit, elute column B with mobile phase, monitor the effluent from column B. Eggs. Dilute 10 g homogenized whole egg with 10 mL saline, add 3 mL 10% sodium azide solution (Caution! Sodium azide is highly toxic! Do not discharge to the plumbing system!). Dialyze (24" long

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** A  $60 \times 4$  50-100  $\mu\text{m}$  XAD-4 (Rohm & Haas); B  $250 \times 4.6$  7  $\mu\text{m}$  Cp TM-Spher C18 (Chrompack)

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:50 mM pH 6.85 sodium acetate buffer 12.5:87.5

**Detector:** UV 450 following post-column reaction. The column effluent mixed with 1.5% p-dimethylaminobenzaldehyde in 17% phosphoric acid and the mixture flowed through a 7.5 m  $\times$  0.5 mm ID knitted PTFE coil to the detector.

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** k' 2.6

**Limit of detection:** 5-10 ng/g

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Extracted:** dapsone, sulfacetamide, sulfachlorpyrazine, sulfadiazine, sulfadimethoxine, sulfaguanidine, sulfamerazine, sulfamethazine, sulfamethoxazole, sulfanilamide, sulfaquinoxaline, sulfathiazole, sulfatroxazole

**Noninterfering:** chloramphenicol, trimethoprim

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#### KEY WORDS

post-column reaction; meat; column-switching; dialysis

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#### REFERENCE

Aerts, M.M.L.; Beek, W.M.J.; Brinkman, U.A.T. Monitoring of veterinary drug residues by a combination of continuous flow techniques and column-switching high-performance liquid chromatography. I. Sulphonamides in egg, meat and milk using post-column derivatization with dimethylaminobenzaldehyde, *J. Chromatogr.*, 1988, 435, 97-112.

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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** milk

**Sample preparation:** Mix 5 mL milk with 20  $\mu\text{L}$  12 M HCl, sonicate, add 25 mL ethyl acetate, extract using a rotary shaker (REAX 2, Heidolph) for 10 min. Centrifuge at 1500 g for 5 min, evaporate 20 mL of the ethyl acetate extract to dryness, dissolve the residue in 10 mL 1 M HCl. Wash the aqueous phase with 10 mL hexane, adjust to pH 5.5 with 900  $\mu\text{L}$  10 M NaOH and 5 mL 1 M pH 6.0  $\text{KH}_2\text{PO}_4$ , extract with two 10 mL portions of dichloromethane. Evaporate the organic layer to dryness, dissolve the residue in 2 mL mobile phase, inject a 50  $\mu\text{L}$  aliquot.

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:**  $150 \times 3.9$  5  $\mu\text{m}$  Novapak C18 (Waters)

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:10 mM pH 6.6 ammonium acetate 10:90

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 50

**Detector:** UV 271

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Limit of detection:** 10 ng/mL

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Also analyzed:** sulfadimethoxine, sulfadimidine (UV 265), sulfamethoxypyridazine (UV 265)

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#### KEY WORDS

cow; milk

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#### REFERENCE

Roudaut, B.; Moretain, J.P. Sulphonamide residues in milk of dairy cows following intravenous injection, *Food Addit. Contam.*, 1990, 7, 527-533.



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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** solutions

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 300 × 3.9 10 μm μBondapak C18

**Mobile phase:** MeOH:10 mM phosphate buffer 52:48

**Flow rate:** 1.5

**Detector:** F ex 400 em 500

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** sulfachlorpyridazine, sulfadimethoxine, sulfamethazine, sulfaquinoxaline, sulfathiazole

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**REFERENCE**

Thomas,G.K.; Millar,R.G.; Anstis,P.W. Stability of sulfonamide antibiotics in spiked pig liver tissue during frozen storage, *J.AOAC Int.*, **1997**, 80, 988–995.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** solutions

**Sample preparation:** Prepare a solution in mobile phase, inject a 25 μL aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 5 μm Zorbax-Sil

**Mobile phase:** Dichloromethane:MeOH:1 M perchloric acid 100:9:0.4

**Flow rate:** 0.8

**Injection volume:** 25

**Detector:** UV 254

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 7.4

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** amodiaquine, chloroquine, dapsone, desethylchloroquine, dihydroquinidine, dihydroquinine, primaquine, proguanil, pyrimethamine, quinidine, quinine, sulfalene, sulfamethoxazole

**Interfering:** mefloquine

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**KEY WORDS**

normal phase

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**REFERENCE**

Dua,V.K.; Sarin,R.; Prakash,A. Determination of quinine in serum, plasma, red blood cells and whole blood in healthy and *Plasmodium falciparum* malaria cases by high-performance liquid chromatography, *J.Chromatogr.*, **1993**, 614, 87–93.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** solutions

**Sample preparation:** Prepare a solution in mobile phase, inject a 20 μL aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 Nucleosil 5C18

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:10 mM pH 5.6 phosphate buffer 8:92

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** UV 270

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 56.0

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Simultaneous:** N-acetylsulfisomidine, sulfachloropyridazine, sulfadimethoxine, sulfamethazine (sulfadimidine), sulfamethoxypyridazine, sulfamonomethoxine, sulfisomidine, sulfisoxazole

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**REFERENCE**

Nishikawa,M.; Takahashi,Y.; Ishihara,Y. High performance liquid chromatographic determination of sulfisomidine and N4-acetylsulfisomidine in swine tissues, *J.Liq.Chromatogr.*, **1993**, *16*, 4031-4047.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** tissue

**Sample preparation:** Condition a 500 mg Chromabond SA cation-exchange SPE cartridge (Macherey-Nagel) with 6 mL hexane, dry under vacuum for 10 min, condition with 6 mL dichloromethane:acetone:acetic acid 50:50:2, do not allow to go dry. Homogenize (Polytron) 10 g sample with 60 mL dichloromethane:acetone 50:50 for 30 s, rinse the apparatus with 2-3 mL dichloromethane:acetone 50:50, centrifuge the mixture at 2500 rpm for 10 min. Filter (cotton wool) the supernatant and wash it through with a little dichloromethane:acetone 50:50, add 5 mL acetic acid to the filtrate, mix, remove one tenth of this mixture and add it to the SPE cartridge at 2 mL/min, do not allow the SPE cartridge to run dry, wash with 5 mL water, wash with 5 mL MeOH, dry under vacuum for 10 min, pass gaseous ammonia through the SPE cartridge until the acid is neutralized (when air is passed through the cartridge moist pH paper should turn blue), elute with 3 mL MeOH at 1-2 mL/min, carefully evaporate to dryness under reduced pressure (100 mbar) at 40°, reconstitute with 500 µL initial mobile phase, centrifuge, inject a 50 µL aliquot of the supernatant.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 125 × 4.5 µm LiChrospher 100 RP-18

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was MeCN:20 mM pH 5 sodium acetate buffer 5.5:94.5. B was MeCN:EtOH:20 mM pH 5 sodium acetate buffer 50:10:40. A:B from 100:0 to 0:100 over 32 min (concave gradient), return to initial conditions over 4 min, re-equilibrate at initial conditions for 10 min.

**Flow rate:** 0.8

**Injection volume:** 50

**Detector:** UV 270, F ex 395 em 495 following post-column reaction. The column effluent mixed with ice-cold reagent pumped at 0.3 mL/min and this mixture flowed through a 2.3 m × 0.5 mm ID coil in a cooled ultrasonic bath to the detector. (Prepare reagent by dissolving 25 mg fluorescamine in 25 mL MeCN and adding 75 mL buffer and 200 µL mercaptoethanol. Buffer was 20 mM NaH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> adjusted to pH 3 with 1 M phosphoric acid.)

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 24

**Limit of detection:** 0.5-5 ppb

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Extracted:** sulfachloropyridazine, sulfadiazine, sulfadimethoxine, sulfaguanidine, sulfamerazine, sulfamethazine (sulfadimidine), sulfamethizole, sulfamethoxypyridazine, sulfanilamide, sulfapyridine, sulfathiazole

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**KEY WORDS**

post-column reaction; muscle; kidney; SPE

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**REFERENCE**

Pacciarelli,B.; Reber,S.; Douglas,C.; Dietrich,S.; Etter,R. Determination of 12 sulfonamides in meat and kidney by HPLC with post-column derivatization, *Mitt.geb.Lebensmittelunters.Hyg.*, **1991**, *82*, 45-55.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** tissue

**Sample preparation:** Condition a 3 mL 500 mg Sep-Pak SPE cartridge with 20 mL MeOH and 20 mL water. 5 g Homogenized tissue + 40 µL 20 µg/mL sulfaethoxypyridazine in water + 25 mL chloroform, shake mechanically for 2 min, centrifuge at 3000 g for 5 min, remove the supernatant and separate the layers. Add the aqueous layer to the residue and repeat the extraction. Combine the chloroform layers and add 10 mL 10% NaCl in 100 mM NaOH, shake vigorously for 1 min, remove the upper aqueous layer and centrifuge it at 1500 g for 10 min.

Remove 8 mL of the upper aqueous layer and add it to 10 mL 1 M pH 6  $\text{NaH}_2\text{PO}_4$ , vortex for 20 s, add to the SPE cartridge, wash with 20 mL water, elute with 1 mL MeCN. Evaporate the eluate to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 50°, reconstitute in 2 mL mobile phase, vortex for 20 s, heat at 50° for 5 min, cool, filter (Gelman Acrodisc 0.45  $\mu\text{m}$ ), inject a 20-50  $\mu\text{L}$  aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250  $\times$  4.6 5  $\mu\text{m}$  Spherisorb C18 ODS

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:10 mM pH 4.6 ammonium acetate 28:72

**Flow rate:** 1.2

**Injection volume:** 20-50

**Detector:** UV 265 or MS, VG TRIO 2 quadrupole, ion source 189°, capillary jet 320

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 10.4

**Internal standard:** sulfaethoxypyridazine (12.8)

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Extracted:** sulfachloropyridazine, sulfadiazine, sulfadimethoxine, sulfamerazine, sulfamethazine, sulfamethoxazole, sulfamethoxypyridazine, sulfathiazole

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**KEY WORDS**

cow; pig; muscle; liver; SPE

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**REFERENCE**

Boison, J.O.; Keng, L.J.-Y. Determination of sulfadimethoxine and sulfamethazine residues in animal tissues by liquid chromatography and thermospray mass spectrometry, *JAOAC Int.*, **1995**, 78, 651-658.

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**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** tissue

**Sample preparation:** Homogenize (Ultra-Turrax T-25 with S25N dispersing tool) 10 g chopped fish and 10 mL mobile phase A at high speed for 30 s, add 90 mL MeCN, shake at low speed on shaker, centrifuge at 1500 rpm for 10 min, remove the supernatant, add 30 mL MeCN to the solid, shake, centrifuge, decant the supernatant. Combine the supernatants, add 100 mL water, add 2 mL diethylene glycol, add 60 mL dichloromethane, shake for 3 min, remove the organic layer, repeat the extraction with 40 mL dichloromethane. Combine the organic layers and evaporate in a rotary evaporator at 65° to ca. 2 mL, wash into a smaller tube with two 2 mL portions of MeOH, concentrate to about 1 mL with a stream of nitrogen at 65°, dilute to 4.5 mL with 200 mM phosphoric acid, add 5 mL hexane, vortex, centrifuge for 15 min, discard upper hexane layer. Dilute the lower aqueous layer to 5 mL with 200 mM phosphoric acid, inject a 20  $\mu\text{L}$  aliquot.

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**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Guard column:** C18

**Column:** 150  $\times$  4.6 3.5  $\mu\text{m}$  Symmetry C18 (Waters)

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was MeCN:MeOH:2% acetic acid in water 5:10:85. B was MeCN:MeOH:2% acetic acid in water 25:10:65. A:B from 100:0 to 0:100 over 25 min, maintain at 0:100 for 5 min.

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** F ex 400 em 495 following post-column reaction. The column effluent mixed with 500  $\mu\text{g/mL}$  fluorescamine in MeCN:MeOH:2% acetic acid 52.5:5:42.5 pumped at 0.2 mL/min and the mixture flowed through a 10.7 m  $\times$  0.4 mm i.d. coil of PTFE tubing at 70° to the detector.

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**CHROMATOGRAM**

**Retention time:** 15

**Limit of quantitation:** 1 ng/g

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Extracted:** sulfachloropyridazine, sulfadiazine, sulfadimethoxine, sulfamerazine, sulfamethazine, sulfamethizole, sulfamethoxazole, sulfamethoxypyridazine, sulfamonomethoxine, sulfanilamide, sulfapyridine, sulfaquinoxaline, sulfathiazole

**KEY WORDS**

fish; salmon; post-column reaction

**REFERENCE**

Gehring, T.A.; Rushing, L.G.; Thompson, H.C., Jr. Determination of sulfonamides in edible salmon tissue by liquid chromatography with postcolumn derivatization and fluorescence detection, *JAOAC Int.*, **1997**, *80*, 751-755.

# Sulfaethidole

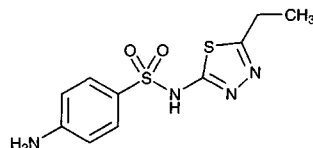
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**CAS Registry No.:** 94-19-9

**Merck Index:** 9075

**Lednicer No.:** 1 125

**SAMPLE**

**Matrix:** solutions

**HPLC VARIABLES**

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 Zorbax RX

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was 10 mL concentrated orthophosphoric acid and 7 mL triethylamine in 1 L water. B was 10 mL concentrated orthophosphoric acid and 7 mL triethylamine in 200 mL water, make up to 1 L with MeCN. A:B from 100:0 to 0:100 over 30 min, maintain at 0:100 for 5 min.

**Column temperature:** 30

**Flow rate:** 2

**Detector:** UV 210

**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Also analyzed:** acepromazine, acetaminophen, acetophenazine, albuterol, aminophylline, amitrityline, amobarbital, amoxapine, amphetamine, amyllocaine, antipyrine, aprobarbital, aspirin, atenolol, atropine, avermectin, barbital, benzocaine, benzoic acid, benzotropine, benzphetamine, berberine, bibucaine, bromazepam, brompheniramine, buprenorphine, buspirone, butabarbital, butacaine, butethal, caffeine, carbamazepine, carbromal, chloramphenicol, chlor-diazepoxide, chloroquine, chlorothiazide, chloroxylenol, chlorphenesin, chlorpheniramine, chlorpromazine, chlorpropamide, chlortetracycline, cimetidine, cinchonidine, cinchonine, clenbuterol, clonazepam, clonixin, clorazepate, cocaine, codeine, colchicine, cortisone, coumarin, cyclazocine, cyclobenzaprine, cyclothiazide, cyheptamide, cymarin, danazol, danthron, dapsone, debrisoquine, desipramine, dexamethasone, dextromethorphan, dextropropoxyphene, diamorphine, diazepam, diclofenac, diethylpropion, diethylstilbestrol, diflunisal, digitoxin, digoxin, diltiazem, diphenhydramine, diphenoxylate, diprenorphine, dipyrone, disulfiram, dopamine, doxapram, doxepin, dronabinol, ephedrine, epinephrine, epinine, estradiol, estriol, estrone, ethacrynic acid, ethosuximide, etonitazene, etorphine, eugenol, famotidine, fenbendazole, fencamfamine, fenpropofen, fenproporex, fentanyl, flubendazole, flufenamic acid, flunitrazepam, 5-fluorouracil, fluoxymesterone, fluphenazine, furosemide, gentisic acid, gitoxigenin, glipizide, glunixin, glutethimide, glybenclamide, guaiacol, halazepam, haloperidol, hydrochlorothiazide, hydrocodone, hydrocortisone, hydromorphone, hydroxyquinoline, ibogaine, ibuprofen, iminostilbene, imipramine, indomethacin, isocarboxystyryl, isocarboxazid, isoniazid, isoproterenol, isoxsuprine, ivermectin, ketamine, ketoprofen, kynurenic acid, levorphanol, lidocaine, lorazepam, lormetazepam, loxapine, mazindol, mebendazole, meclizine, meclufenamic acid, medazepam, mefenamic acid, megestrol, mepacrine, meperidine, mephentermine, mephenytoin, mephesin, mephobarbital, mepivacaine, mescaline, mesoridazine, methadone, methamphetamine, methapyrilene, methaqualone, methazolamide, methocarbamol, methoxamine, methsuximide, methyl salicylate, methyl dopa, methyl dopamine, methylphenidate, methylprednisolone, methyltestosterone, methyprylon, metoprolol, mibolerone, morphine, nadolol, nalorphine, naloxone, naltrexone, naphazoline, naproxen, nefopam, niacinamide, nicotine, niacin, nifedipine, niflumic acid, nitrazepam, norepinephrine, nortriptyline, noscapine, nyldrin, oxazepam, oxycodone, oxymorphone, oxyphenbutazone, oxytetracycline, papaverine, pargyline, pemoline, pentazocine,

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## REFERENCE

Hill,D.W.; Kind,A.J. Reversed-phase solvent gradient HPLC retention indexes of drugs, *J.Anal.Toxicol.*, **1994**, *18*, 233-242.

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# Sulfaguanidine

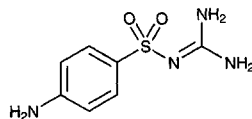
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**Molecular weight:** 214.25

**CAS Registry No.:** 57-67-0

**Merck Index:** 9076

**Lednicer No.:** 1 123



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## SAMPLE

**Matrix:** blood, urine

**Sample preparation:** Add 1 mL whole blood or urine to Toxi-Tube A (Toxi-Lab, Irvine CA), add 3 mL water, mix by gentle inversion for 5 min, centrifuge at 1500 g for 5 min. Remove the organic layer and evaporate it to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 40°, reconstitute the residue with 50 µL MeCN:water 50:50, vortex for 10 s, centrifuge at 7500 g for 2 min, inject a 10 (urine) or 30 (blood) µL aliquot. (The detector wavelength shown is the wavelength of maximum absorbance. This will not necessarily be the optimal wavelength for the separation. Multiple wavelengths from 200-350 nm can be scanned using a diode-array detector. Otherwise, 220 nm may be a reasonable choice for initial work. Matrix may interfere.)

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## HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** 20 mm long Symmetry C18

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 5 µm Symmetry C8 (Waters)

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was 50 mM pH 3.8 sodium phosphate buffer. B was MeCN. A:B 85:15 for 6.5 min, 65:35 for 18.5 min, 20:80 for 3 min (step gradient), re-equilibrate at initial conditions for 7 min.

**Column temperature:** 30

**Flow rate:** 1 for 6.5 min, to 1.5 over 18.5 min, maintain at 1.5 for 3 min (re-equilibrate at 1.5 mL/min)

**Injection volume:** 10-30

**Detector:** UV 200.5

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## CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 3.795

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## KEY WORDS

whole blood

## REFERENCE

Gaillard,Y.; Pépin,G. Use of high-performance liquid chromatography with photodiode-array UV detection for the creation of a 600-compound library. Application to forensic toxicology, *J.Chromatogr.A*, **1997**, 763, 149–163.

# Sulfalene

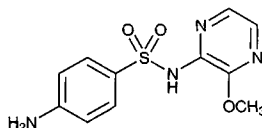
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**Molecular weight:** 280.31

**CAS Registry No.:** 152-47-6, 50933-06-7 (mixture with trimethoprim)

**Merck Index:** 9078

**Lednicer No.:** 1 125



## SAMPLE

**Matrix:** blood, urine

**Sample preparation:** Add 1 mL whole blood or urine to Toxi-Tube A (Toxi-Lab, Irvine CA), add 3 mL water, mix by gentle inversion for 5 min, centrifuge at 1500 g for 5 min. Remove the organic layer and evaporate it to dryness under a stream of nitrogen at 40°, reconstitute the residue with 50 µL MeCN:water 50:50, vortex for 10 s, centrifuge at 7500 g for 2 min, inject a 10 (urine) or 30 (blood) µL aliquot. (The detector wavelength shown is the wavelength of maximum absorbance. This will not necessarily be the optimal wavelength for the separation. Multiple wavelengths from 200-350 nm can be scanned using a diode-array detector. Otherwise, 220 nm may be a reasonable choice for initial work. Matrix may interfere.)

## HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** 20 mm long Symmetry C18

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 5 µm Symmetry C8 (Waters)

**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was 50 mM pH 3.8 sodium phosphate buffer. B was MeCN. A:B 85:15 for 6.5 min, 65:35 for 18.5 min, 20:80 for 3 min (step gradient), re-equilibrate at initial conditions for 7 min.

**Column temperature:** 30

**Flow rate:** 1 for 6.5 min, to 1.5 over 18.5 min, maintain at 1.5 for 3 min (re-equilibrate at 1.5 mL/min)

**Injection volume:** 10-30

**Detector:** UV 200.5

## CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 11.217

## KEY WORDS

whole blood

## REFERENCE

Gaillard,Y.; Pépin,G. Use of high-performance liquid chromatography with photodiode-array UV detection for the creation of a 600-compound library. Application to forensic toxicology, *J.Chromatogr.A*, **1997**, 763, 149–163.

# Sulfamerazine

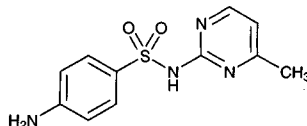
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**Molecular weight:** 264.31

**CAS Registry No.:** 127-79-7, 127-58-2 (monosodium salt)

**Merck Index:** 9081

**Lednicer No.:** 1 124



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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** solutions

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**HPLC VARIABLES****Column:** 250 × 4.6 Zorbax RX**Mobile phase:** Gradient. A was 10 mL concentrated orthophosphoric acid and 7 mL triethylamine in 1 L water. B was 10 mL concentrated orthophosphoric acid and 7 mL triethylamine in 200 mL water, make up to 1 L with MeCN. A:B from 100:0 to 0:100 over 30 min, maintain at 0:100 for 5 min.**Column temperature:** 30**Flow rate:** 2**Detector:** UV 210

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**OTHER SUBSTANCES**

**Also analyzed:** acepromazine, acetaminophen, acetophenazine, albuterol, aminophylline, amitrityline, amobarbital, amoxapine, amphetamine, amylocaine, antipyrine, aprobarbital, aspirin, atenolol, atropine, avermectin, barbital, benzocaine, benzoic acid, benzotropine, benzphetamine, berberine, bibucaine, bromazepam, brompheniramine, buprenorphine, buspirone, butabarbital, butacaine, butethal, caffeine, carbamazepine, carbromal, chloramphenicol, chlor-diazepoxide, chloroquine, chlorothiazide, chloroxylenol, chlorphenesin, chlorpheniramine, chlorpromazine, chlorpropamide, chlortetracycline, cimetidine, cinchonidine, cinchonine, clenbuterol, clonazepam, clonixin, clorazepate, cocaine, codeine, colchicine, cortisone, coumarin, cyclazocine, cyclobenzaprine, cyclothiazide, cyheptamide, cymarin, danazol, danthron, dapsone, debrisoquine, desipramine, dexamethasone, dextromethorphan, dextropropoxyphene, diamorphine, diazepam, diclofenac, diethylpropion, diethylstilbestrol, diflunisal, digitoxin, digoxin, diltiazem, diphenhydramine, diphenoxylate, diprenorphine, dipyrone, disulfiram, dopamine, doxapram, doxepin, dronabinol, ephedrine, epinephrine, epinine, estradiol, estriol, estrone, ethacrynic acid, ethosuximide, etonitazene, etorphine, eugenol, famotidine, fenbendazole, fen-camfamine, fenpropofen, fenproporex, fentanyl, flubendazole, flufenamic acid, flunitrazepam, 5-fluorouracil, fluoxymesterone, fluphenazine, furosemide, gentisic acid, gitoxigenin, glipizide, glunixin, glutethimide, glybenclamide, guaiaicol, halazepam, haloperidol, hydrochlorothiazide, hydrocodone, hydrocortisone, hydromorphone, hydroxyquinoline, ibogaine, ibuprofen, imino-stilbene, imipramine, indomethacin, isocarboxystyryl, isocarboxazid, isoniazid, isoproterenol, isox-suprine, ivermectin, ketamine, ketoprofen, kynurenic acid, levorphanol, lidocaine, lorazepam, lormetazepam, loxapine, mazindol, mebendazole, meclizine, meclofenamic acid, medazepam, mefenamic acid, megestrol, mepacrine, meperidine, mephentermine, mephentyoin, mephesis, mephobarbital, mepivacaine, mescaline, mesoridazine, methadone, methamphetamine, meth-apyrilene, methaqualone, methazolamide, methocarbamol, methoxamine, methsuximide, methyl salicylate, methyl dopa, methyl dopamine, methylphenidate, methylprednisolone, methyltestosterone, methypyrrolon, metoprolol, mibolerone, morphine, nadolol, nalorphine, naloxone, naltrexone, naphazoline, naproxen, nefopam, niacinamide, nicotine, niacin, nifedipine, niflumic acid, nitrazepam, norepinephrine, nortriptyline, noscapine, nylidrin, oxazepam, oxycodone, ox-ymorphone, oxyphenbutazone, oxytetracycline, papaverine, pargyline, pemoline, pentazocine, pentobarbital, persantine, phenacetin, phenazocine, phenazopyridine, phencyclidine, phendi-metrazine, phenelzine, pheniramine, phenobarbital, phenothiazine, phensuximide, phenter-mine, phenylbutazone, phenylephrine, phenylpropanolamine, piperocaine, prazepam, predni-solone, primidone, probenecid, progesterone, propiomazine, propranolol, propylparaben, pseudoephedrine, puromycin, pyrilamine, pyridylidone, quazepam, quinaldic acid, quinidine, quinine, ranitidine, recinnamine, reserpine, resorcinol, saccharin, albuterol, salicylamide, sal-icylic acid, scopolamine, scopoletin, secobarbital, strychnine, sulfacetamide, sufadiazine, sul-fadimethoxine, sulfamethazine, sulfamethoxazole, sulfanilamide, sulfapyridine, sulfasoxazole, sulindac, tamoxifen, temazepam, testosterone, tetracaine, tetracycline, tetramisole, thebaine, theobromine, theophylline, thiabendazole, thiamine, thiamylal, thiobarbituric acid, thiorida-zine, thiosalicylic acid, thiothixene, thymol, tolazamide, tolazoline, tobutamide, tolmetin, tran-lycypromine, triamcinolone, tribenzylamine, trichloromethiazide, trifluoperazine, trihexyphen-ylid, trimethoprim, tripeleminamine, triprolidine, tropacocaine, tyramine, verapamil, vincamine, warfarin, yohimbine, zoxazolamine

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**REFERENCE**

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**SAMPLE****Matrix:** water

**Sample preparation:** Adjust 50 mL wastewater to pH 6.6 with acetic acid, add 5 mL 1 mg/mL niacin in 0.5 mM HCl, add 50 mL ethyl acetate, shake vigorously for 5 min, let stand for 1 min, transfer the ethyl acetate layer to a flask, extract the residual aqueous layer with two 20 mL portions of ethyl acetate. Combine the organic layers and evaporate them at 90° to about 500 µL, dissolve the residue in 5 mL 10 mM HCl, make up to 50 mL with water, inject an aliquot.

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Column:** 150 × 4.6 5 µm Inertsil ODS-2 (Vercopak)

**Mobile phase:** MeOH:buffer 20:80 (Buffer was 100 mM sodium acetate adjusted to pH 6.6 with 10 mM acetic acid.)

**Flow rate:** 1

**Injection volume:** 20

**Detector:** UV 260

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 6

**Internal standard:** niacin (3.3)

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#### OTHER SUBSTANCES

**Extracted:** sulfathiazole, sulfamethazine, sulfacetamide, sulfadiazine, sulfamethoxazole, sulfamonomethoxine

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#### KEY WORDS

wastewater

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#### REFERENCE

Jen, J.-F.; Lee, H.-L.; Lee, B.-N. Simultaneous determination of seven sulfonamide residues in swine wastewater by high-performance liquid chromatography, *J. Chromatogr. A*, **1998**, 793, 378–382.

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## Sulfamethazine

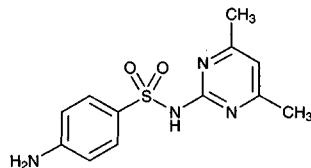
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**Molecular weight:** 278.33

**CAS Registry No.:** 57-68-1

**Merck Index:** 9083

**Lednicer No.:** 1 125



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#### SAMPLE

**Matrix:** blood

**Sample preparation:** 500 µL Plasma + 150 µL 3% trichloroacetic acid in EtOH + 100 µL EtOH, vortex, freeze at -20° for 5 min, centrifuge, freeze at -20° for 10 min, centrifuge through a Spin-X filter tube, inject a 10 µL aliquot of the supernatant.

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#### HPLC VARIABLES

**Guard column:** 20 × 4.6 5 µm Supelcosil LC-18 DB

**Column:** 250 × 4.6 5 µm Supelcosil LC-18 DB

**Mobile phase:** MeCN:buffer 23:77 with 0.1% triethylamine added (Buffer was 25 mM sodium phosphate and 20 mM sodium 1-hexanesulfonate, pH adjusted to 2.8 with 5 M phosphoric acid.)

**Flow rate:** 0.9

**Injection volume:** 10

**Detector:** UV 270

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#### CHROMATOGRAM

**Retention time:** 8

**Internal standard:** sulfamethazine (sulfadimidine)